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Docket No.: SUPP-P05-008
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Crabtree et al.

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Application No.: 10/040430

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 2, 2004**

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in reply to the outstanding Office Action, mailed March 2, 2004, in connection with the above application. The Office Action sets a three month period to file a response. Applicants have filed concurrently herewith a Petition for a one month extension of time. Accordingly, the time to file a response has been extended to July 2, 2004, and this response is being timely filed. Please enter the following amendments:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.